

Remarks / Arguments

The Office Action rejects Claims 1 and 10 under 35 USC § 102(b) as being anticipated by U.S. Patent No. 3,286,349 to Larson. We respectfully submit that, as amended, Larson fails to fully anticipate the above claims.

As amended, the claims now require an arcuate neck to extend from a first end of the handle, and the neck must also be at least equal to the diameter of the cutting wheel.

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